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REGISTER IN SUGAR RATIONING

HONOR ROLL

10% OF INCOME IS OUR QUOTA IN WAR BONDS

Below are names of El Dorado County men known by the county Selective Service Board to have been in the armed services prior to or on April 23, 1942. This is admittedly an incomplete list of the men in service. Placerville Lions have named George E. Faugstad as chairman of a committee to compile an Honor Roll and anyone who knows of an El Dorado County man in the armed services who is not listed below, is requested to report that man's name to Mr. Faugstad.

The following is a list of El Dorado County registrants now in service—as of April 23, 1942.

ELLSWORTH C. SEAVEY
ROBERT E. LEE
EVON E. STENNETT
WALTER A. RAUGHT
JAMES HANDSEN
GLEN D. PRICE
MARSHALL C. SHIELDS
GEORGE A. WIGLESWORTH
CARROL F. PHELPS
ELMER F. PORINI
ERLING LUND
WILBUR R. LONG
EUGENE N. ALEXSON
ADOLPH L. HAACK
OWEN E. HEAROLD
WILFRED R. MYERS
CLIFTON A. ROBINSON
KENNETH C. HEFFREN
ROBERT M. SHELDON
RICHARD D. STRATTON
AL DORSEY
WILLIAM R. SEYMOUR
DALE B. FOX
BLAIR HARRIS
ANTON W. ROGINA
ALBERT M. WHITAKER
HOWARD B. KNAPP
FRANK I. SWARTZ
JOHN H. MCKOWN
LATTI G. SCHMERHAL
THURMAN F. UPTON
ERNEST ACUNA
ALBERT P. SANDERS
ELMER M. BONNETT, JR.
JOHN E. GARRETT
BERT E. LEWIS
LOUIS F. WUNSCHER
ROBERT L. LEWIS
WILLIAM M. LATIMER
JAMES F. COUTANT
JOHN E. PALMER
PAUL H. DRAKE
EDWARD H. CLAIRE
MARVIN O. HOCKETT
CHARLES J. WAGNER
ORVAL O. FLEMING
ALDERSON GEE
PAUL W. MULLANIX
CLIFFORD C. CARROLL
PHILLIP C. RONZONE
STEVE B. BARCO
JOHN F. SMART
MELVILLE M. BROWN
WILLIAM S. PARKER
MACK T. BURNETT
NORMAN F. ELLIOTT
RALPH H. MILLS
ALBERT W. WONDERLY
FRANK GALLAGHER
CHARLES E. SALGADO
FERDINAND E. FRITZ
BRUCE E. MCCANN
BERNARD A. MCCORD
RAYMOND W. PAXON
MELVIN J. ROSS
WALTER O. HANSEN
LEONARD M. BOWERS
PAT S. ROSS
CLARENCE W. FULLER
RALEIGH N. ROSS
ROBERT BROWN
OTIS K. NORRIS
ROBERT K. HERRICK
LESTER P. FROST
RAYMOND C. MILLER
DONALD A. HYDE
EDWIN G. FERI
FRANK A. HARRIS
ELVIN J. FRANCIS
CHARLES S. GROSSMAN
JOHN OINA
JOHN F. FITCHCOCK
LESTER H. GLUYAS
OTIS P. ACUFF
JACK C. BUTTS
CLIFFORD H. JONES
OSCAR T. KERFOOT
JAMES R. BROWN
WILLIAM H. RIDOUT
AUSTIN D. WARREN
RONALD J. DARR
CHARLES W. DOWNING
ALLAN R. GOODRICH
ELMER J. POOSE

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SIGN-UP ENDS ON THURSDAY

Day-Long Registration In Placerville, Afternoons In Rural School Districts

The issuance of War Ration Book One in the national sugar control program under the Office of Price Administration, opened throughout the nation Monday morning.

In El Dorado County, books are being issued from the various district grade schools and in the rural sections of the county the activity is being generally carried out during the afternoon hours, from one o'clock until five o'clock.

In Placerville, books will be issued from nine o'clock in the morning until noon, and from one o'clock until five o'clock in the afternoon.

Those living on Washington Street are asked to apply at the Uppertown school. Those living west of Washington Street are asked to apply at the main grammar school building.

The issuance of the ration books will continue through Thursday of this week, with provision for continuing the sign-up through Friday if it is found necessary.

Voicing an appeal for public cooperation in view of the magnitude of the work to be done, school officials Monday morning said that the all-important feature in connection with the sign-up appears to be the point that everyone should make application for a ration book. However, one person may make application for a family group.

In preparation for the start of the rationing program, the retail sale of sugar was halted on Monday of last week.

Sale of sugar is being resumed Tuesday morning, subject to the rationing program.

Officials report that the work of registration will be speeded if applicants will be prepared to answer four essential questions. These are:

- 1.—Applicants should come prepared with a list of the members of their families giving the exact name of each.
- 2.—An exact description of each member of the family unit, giving the height, weight, color of eyes, color of hair, age and sex of each one.
- 3.—The person who registers for the family unit must state his or her occupation.

Incendiary Bomb Control Shown

North Side Center Sees Magnesium Demonstration In Friday Night Meeting

An actual demonstration of the effect of the wrong practices in the control of magnesium incendiary bombs was one of the most instructive features of the meeting of the North Side Farm Center, held Friday evening at the Penobscot school.

Additionally, the center re-elected officers, and heard a discussion by Farm Advisor Lilley relative to the State Militia enlistment, and also on the subject of water purification.

The magnesium demonstration was conducted by William Cumming, Jr., and was intended to demonstrate the proper method of spraying water upon a magnesium bomb as an aid to controlling it.

Mr. Cumming went contrary to approved practices once or twice during the demonstration for the sake of illustrating how magnesium will flare and burn when under a direct stream of water or when a bucket of water is thrown upon it.

However, water applied as a spray, helps to control the burning magnesium and when its principal heat energy is expended it may be further smothered with sand and then shoveled into a bucket. The practice then is to hook the shovel in the ball of the bucket, and carry the bomb to some place of safety.

Farm Advisor Lilley reported three volunteers from the district in the state militia.

The officers re-elected are William White, chairman; Alex Lafaille, vice-chairman; and Louise Eberhard, secretary and treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Winn and son, Darrell, of Placerville, called on Mrs. Winn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Freeman, at Los Banos, in the course of a vacation trip to Los Angeles.

"Winter Logging" Cut Tremendous New Method Fells Record Timber Footage; Clearing Skies Interrupt Workers

BY I. SAWYER

Wait until I light my pipe—What I was about to say is that I doubt if there is any time in history in El Dorado County when there was any more timber cut than was cut last week;—and a little the week before.

I tell you ladies and gentlemen, when the sky clouds up and the snowflakes or the rain-drops come down, that's when the woods crews really go to work;—they really do.

The gather round the hot stove—any stove will do, just so it's hot—and I want to tell you that there is more logging done in a forenoon—or a afternoon, either—than you could ordinarily accomplish in five seasons.

The way the timber fell for a few days last week was a caution. It makes us see the need for conservation. Because if the boys are going to keep on at that rate, we'll have to reduce the diameter of the merchantable timber in order to have anything left to work on.

Now don't get me wrong. I'm not putting the finger on anybody in particular. This is a general statement.

The boys have been interrupted in their work now and again when the skies would clear up for, maybe, as much as half a day. But even at times like that they went ahead on schedule.

However, I thought you would all like to know that when these early Spring or late Winter storms come on—that's when the timber really comes down.

WAR TRAINING OPPORTUNITY

Men 17 to 19, Or Up To 24 Years With 3-A Draft Classification Eligible

Charles T. Brier, resident director of the Sacramento Resident Center of the NYA, reports openings at the center in war work training for work in the shipyards and allied industries.

Anyone interested in the matter may address Mr. Brier at the "Sacramento Resident Center, North Sacramento, California.

The announcement relative to the training offered is as follows:

"For the past eighteen months this center has trained and placed more than one thousand young men with the U. S. Army Air Corps Air Depot at Sacramento, in over forty-two fields. Due to a change in policy we will now train primarily for the shipbuilding industry through classes and work experience in Marine Welding and Shipfitting.

"In-coming classes will live in our newly completed, modern residential center which consists of dormitories, dining hall, recreation hall, infirmary and playfield. Training is to be had in the excellently equipped NYA State Fair Grounds Shops which have been provided at a cost of over one quarter of a million dollars. The shops cover a two acre area and duplicate actual shop conditions.

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SUPERINTENDENT MC COY ASKS EXTENSION OF ABSENCE LEAVE

An extension of the thirty-day leave of absence granted County Schools Superintendent K. W. McCoy when he entered Navy service has been asked by the school superintendent in a letter to the Board of Supervisors.

In Superintendent McCoy's absence, E. J. Fitzgerald, formerly superintendent, has been administering the office under an appointment by Mr. McCoy as Deputy Superintendent of Schools.

Mr. McCoy's original leave of absence for thirty days expired on April 23rd. The current meeting of the Board of Supervisors is the first since that date.

Corporal Clarence Willard, of the Army Air Corps, came up Thursday evening from Sacramento to spend a few hours with his parents and other relatives and friends.

SCHOOLS WEEK BIG SUCCESS

Observances Concluded In Exercises Held On Thursday And Friday

Aside from the general excellence of the program material, it appears that the twenty-third observance of California Public Schools Week, which was held in the county last week, must be judged to have had a more general participation than any such observance in the county in recent years.

Following programs earlier in the week at Diamond Springs, Georgetown, Rescue and Camino, with other special exercises in Placerville, the observance concluded with the county-wide program at the high school on Thursday evening, a music festival at Placerville Grammar School Friday evening, a program at Latrobe Thursday evening and another at the Pleasant Valley Grange hall in Friday evening.

The county-wide exercises at the high school followed an open house period which began at seven o'clock. During the hour before the start of the formal program, visitors were free to visit various classrooms of the building where the work of the pupils was on display. Special attention was paid the exhibit of model planes, in the woodworking department. This is a project which is being carried out in co-operation with the United States Navy.

The formal program began with

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Program For Luncheon

Interdenominational Meeting In Placerville To Be Held On Thursday

An interdenominational pot luck luncheon is being planned to be held at the Guild Hall of the Episcopal Church on Thursday, May 7th, under the auspices of the women of the various churches of Placerville. The committee in charge announces that everyone in the community, men as well as women, is invited to attend the luncheon and program.

The occasion is arranged as a part of a national observance during which church people have opportunity to renew their fellowship with one another and reaffirm their allegiance to their common Master.

The committee in charge suggests that it will be advisable for those taking food to the luncheon to have their dishes at the Guild Hall no later than 11:30 Thursday morning.

Luncheon will be served at 12:30 o'clock and the program will be as follows:

Opening remarks, Mrs. Ford Canfield; vocal selections, Gounod's "Ave Maria" and "The Lord's Prayer," by Malotte, by Mrs. Mary Cook, with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Ruby Wright;

Greeting, Mrs. J. G. Leonard; candle lighting, a candle to represent each church, all shining with equal brightness;

Piano numbers, by Mrs. Ted Ford; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Owens, missionaries to China, will speak; Mrs. Don De Pasquale will speak on "Charity"; Mrs. Martin Luther will speak on "Delay but not Defeat"; Mrs. Hazel Volz will offer a vocal solo; Mrs. Edwin Castledine will discuss, "I Will Not Hate"; Mrs. Earl Ross will give a Feltograph Bible lesson; Mrs. John Timney will speak on "A True and Lasting Peace," and Mrs. Silvio Ronzone will give a reading, "God Prays."

There will be community singing of familiar hymns and the program will conclude with remarks by the clergy, and the benediction following which all will sing, "America."

Lieutenant Atwood Pays Short Visit Home

Ted Atwood, lieutenant junior grade, in the Navy, came up last Thursday from the Bay District for a short visit with his mother, Mrs. Marion Atwood, and other relatives and friends. Lieutenant Atwood has been stationed in the Bay District since his call to active service and it is understood there is some possibility of his being assigned to other fields.

Winning Essays In 7th American Legion Contest For Schools Are Announced

Harriet Edson, First, Carol Romberg, Second, Zella Emmerson, Third, In Decision of Judges On Entries From Placerville Grammar School

The seventh annual American Legion Essay Contest among seventh and eighth grade pupils of the county's schools was formally concluded Friday evening with the announcement of the winners in the Placerville division of the contest, and the presentation of the awards. This was part of the program of the Friday evening musical concert at the grammar school.

The winners in the Placerville division of the contest are Harriet Edson, first; Carol Romberg, second; Zella Emmerson, third; with honorable mention to Marylu Tinker.

These four were called to the platform as Thomas Maul, Americanization chairman for El Dorado Post No. 119, American Legion, announced the names of the winners. Shortly thereafter, Post Commander Swift Berry presented the awards, beginning with the award to Marylu Tinker, which was a book, "The Story of the Constitution."

A copy of the same book was presented to each of the three principal winners and in addition first place received a gold medal and three dollars in cash; second place a silver medal and two dollars in cash; and third place a bronze medal, and one dollar in cash.

Similar awards had been presented Thursday to winners in the rural division of the contest who were: first, Billie Loy Johnson, of Coon Hollow school; second, Vincent Nichols, of Tennessee school; third, James Felder, of Mt. Aukum school, with honorable mention given Gloria Nichols and Frances Carpenter, of Tennessee school, and Ruth Fillmore, of Fairplay School.

All entries were on the assigned subject, "Show your Americanism by the Purchase of Defense Bonds and Stamps."

The winning essays in each division of the contest follow:

BY BILLIE LOY JOHNSON
Coon Hollow School

A wonderful new world is this American treasureland which Columbus saw from the deck of his ship in 1492—a wild land—a land of hardship and of hope.

Here the foundations of liberty were laid in the centuries that followed. Here the founding fathers created a new government. They bequeathed to us the United States of America and their sons and grandsons have made it great and strong.

Some of us in recent years have forgotten to be grateful for our

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HARRIET EDSON
Placerville School

America faces the greatest crisis ever known. Every merchant, housewife, and child must share in the duty obligated to us in this time of war.

Buying Defense Bonds and Stamps means security for America, this great nation of golden fields of grain, towering cities, and small villages. This wonderful country of ours has been threatened by dictators who, by tyranny and treachery, expect to conquer all the world. All Americans realize the struggle we are facing to

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LATROBE NATIVE FIREGUARD RULE LAID AT REST

Husband, Cleared In Death By Autopsy Report, Faces Felony Assault Charges

Funeral services were held Sunday at Memory Chapel, with interment at Greenstone cemetery, for Mrs. Amelia Turnbo, 41, a native of Latrobe, who died April 29th at a Woodland hospital. The Rev. Father Kenny officiated.

Mrs. Turnbo's husband, Earl Turnbo, formerly of Shingle Springs, is reported as being held by Yolo County authorities on charges of assault with intent to do bodily harm.

This charge was brought forward after an autopsy examination on the body of Mrs. Turnbo resulted in a report by Dr. James L. Porter, Yolo County physician, that Mrs. Turnbo had died from natural causes rather than from the effects of a beating her husband was alleged to have given her on April 18th.

Mrs. Turnbo is reported to have made a statement to officials at the Yolo County hospital in which she charged she had been beaten by her husband and that the beating was responsible for her condition.

At a preliminary hearing, Turnbo testified that he had kicked his head by Lieutenant Colonel E. H. floor and that he had been drinking prior to their disagreement, which arose over money matters.

Mrs. Turnbo was laid at rest beside the graves of her parents. She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Lillie Daniels, and three brothers, William and Louis, all of Shingle, and Alfred, of Fruit Ridge, Sacramento county.

Orval Fleming, Art Davey Are Wearing Chevrons

Friends of Orval Fleming and Arthur Davey will be interested to know that their work in the Army has resulted in their promotion to be corporals.

Orval is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fleming, of Gold Hill, and Arthur is the son of Mrs. Hattie Davey, of Placerville.

The two boys are currently getting their mail at Fort Lewis, Washington.

FIREGUARD RULE INCLUDES CROPS

Recent Amendment Under AAA Program Is Noted By Conservation Chairman

Fireguards on croplands will qualify for payment within the AAA soilbuilding allowance.

This effect of a recent amendment to the Agricultural Conservation Program, was reported Monday by Dan M. Bassi, chairman of the county Agricultural Conservation Association.

Mr. Bassi noted that payments all ready have been allowed under the association program for fireguards on grazing land.

Amendment of the program to include croplands was brought about to encourage increased precaution against the threat of destructive fires during the war emergency. Operators who desire to earn a portion of their farm's AAA allowance for fireguards still must obtain prior approval for the projects from the county committee, and credit may be earned at the rate of 5 cents per 100 linear feet of fireguards 10 feet or more in width.

"With the approach of the fire season, farmers and ranchers should take every precaution to safeguard their range and cropland to prevent the loss of forage or other crops now so vital to the war effort," said Mr. Bassi.

"Fireguards established by plowing or otherwise removing the vegetative cover along roads, fences, property lines and other strategic courses will qualify, but operators who desire to earn AAA payments for the practice should make certain they obtain prior committee approval before undertaking the project."

COLFAX BASEBALL PLAYER KILLED IN VIRGINIA AUTO CRASH

Ralph Younker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Younker of the Bowman District and a former Colfax baseball player, was killed recently in a three way automobile collision near Waverly, Virginia. A companion also was killed.

Ralph Younker played ball for Colfax on the championship Colfax Golds team of the Foothill League.

MILITIA NEEDS ARE REPORTED

Plan Of Organization Is Being Explained At May Farm Center Meetings

Farm Advisor Ivan W. Lilley pointed out Monday morning that any person interested in discussing enlistment in the State Militia and who is unable to visit the Farm Advisor's office, may discuss the subject with the Farm Advisor at any of the Farm Center meetings in the county during the month of May, and may enlist at that time if he so desires.

Following a recent conference at Sacramento, Farm Advisors throughout the state were named enlistment officers for the Militia organization and in this county Mr. Lilley is including an explanation of the militia plan in his talks before the various farm centers.

As enlistment officer for a seven-county area extending southward from El Dorado County, Mr. Lilley recently visited Calaveras County and reports an evident general interest in the militia plan in that district.

Enrollment in the militia is open to any citizen of the United States or to any alien native to the United Nations, who is able-bodied, between the ages of sixteen and 65 years, and who is competent in the use of firearms.

The enrollee must supply his own gun and ammunition and must agree to supply his own uniform.

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Ruffins Open Second Year

Women's Apparel Store Concludes First Year On Friday Evening

Ruffin's, women's apparel store, celebrated the first anniversary of the opening of the store with a special merchandising event which opened during the weekend.

Ruffin's is owned by Mrs. Marie Ruffin, of Roseville, and the local store is under the management of Miss Doris Wade, who was named to the post when the store was opened. Thus, Saturday, May 2, was an anniversary for Ruffin's and also an anniversary for Miss Wade.

Expressing an appreciation for the public approval extended the business during the year, the management expresses the hope that continuing attention to the fashion needs and preferences of the women of El Dorado County may enable Ruffin's to render an even greater service in the years to come.

Miss Wade has Miss Jean Collier as her clerking assistant.

COLLEEN CLAYTON BRIDE OF ALLEN GOODRICH IN SERVICES AT RENO

Colleen Clayton, daughter of Mrs. Gertrude Clayton Rhoad, of Marysville, and First Sergeant Allen R. Goodrich, son of Mr. and Mrs. married on Sunday in a service at Don H. Goodrich, of Placerville, were Reno, Nevada.

First Sergeant Goodrich is enjoying a short furlough from Army duties prior to reporting at Ft. Belvoir, Virginia, as a candidate for officers' training.

The couple were accompanied to Reno by the bridegroom's brother, Don Goodrich, Jr., and wife, and by his cousin, Robert Patterson.

First Sergeant Goodrich and his bride are both natives of Placerville and both are graduates of the county high school, having enjoyed unusual popularity during their scholastic days.

Mr. Goodrich abandoned his third year at the University of California to enter Army service. Following her graduation, his bride attended Armstrong Junior College at Berkeley, from which she recently withdrew to accept an attractive employment offer near Marysville.

We join their many other friends in expressing every good wish for their future happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Ferrari and son, Jack, were here Sunday evening from Ferrari's mill, east of Georgetown. Jack continued from here to Sacramento with friends, to resume his junior college studies following a weekend visit home.

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A MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY



THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY
WASHINGTON

May 1, 1942

TO THE PEOPLE OF CALIFORNIA:

It is a week now since the sale of War Bonds and Savings Stamps is under way throughout the Nation. It is the War Bond Quota Campaign.

It is urgently necessary that you double the rate at which you are buying War Bonds and Stamps. This will mean the sale direct to individuals of Americans of War Bonds and Stamps to the amount of not less than one billion dollars every month.

One billion dollars a month is the National quota. It is equal to one-tenth the combined incomes of all Americans.

This money is needed to buy the tools of war for your fighting forces. It will not pay for all of them. Our war expenditures now are at the rate of about FOUR BILLION a month, and they are going up daily. But a billion dollars a month direct from the people will make all-out production possible. Without it we cannot do our best; without it we cannot put forth our full effort.

It is desperately needed for another reason. We can't fight a war and at the same time live and spend as usual. There are not enough goods to go around—the things we buy with money. If we go on spending at the 1941 scale, we'll be robbing the fighting man to add to our own comfort or pleasure. We'll be driving up the cost of living for all of us. We'll be imposing dire hardships on our neighbors.

What is asked of you is ten per cent of your earnings—a little for liberty. It is not a tax; it is not even a contribution; it is a loan at interest, for your use and protection later.

Your Government asks you to cut down your expenditures, TO SAVE—your pay on the firing line and in the training camps, through your own efforts, ask you to save so that they may have what they need to win the war for you—America asks you to save, TO SAVE TO WIN THE WAR; to buy War Bonds and Stamps up to not less than ten per cent of your income.

Is Democracy worth it? Is America worth it?

I think I know your answer.

Sincerely,
J. M. Morgenthau Jr.

The above letter was sent to this newspaper by Secretary Morgenthau in Washington. We publish it in the interest of the War Bond Quota Campaign and earnestly recommend that all our readers do their share in the tremendous job ahead of financing the War effort.

Advertising

Under this caption, the California Manufacturers Association recently addressed a memorandum to its members.

The subject matter states more clearly some of the intimations which were brought to the attention of readers a few weeks ago and touches upon some other problems.

The memorandum points out, rather clearly we think, our interdependence. Perhaps you would like to read it:

"Advertising is not only a sales method, but it is an expression of the business man's confidence in the present and his faith in the future; it encourages hope and strengthens morale.

"The newspapers of the State have for the most part supported our advocacy of sound public economy and have joined us in opposing waste and non-essential spending of public funds. This has been their very substantial contribution to the public welfare.

"The newspapers of the State have recently given our tax program generous publicity, and we appreciate the strength and effectiveness of that support. Newspapers constitute an indispensable factor in our business activities. They deserve our substantial support. It will be good business for industry to maintain its full advertising program and activities 'for the duration.'

"If we are to succeed in procuring any relief from heavy state and local taxes it will be necessary to have the support of newspapers generally, and especially those of the smaller communities. The continued existence of such newspapers is vital, and their life-blood flows through the channels of advertising.

"Extravagant demands by communities, and even at times by commercial and industrial associations and from promotional organizations, are to a great extent responsible for large appropriations and resultant heavier taxes; and also the people themselves, by their own direct action, have adopted many tax producing measures. In times of peace, we are inclined to be a little careless in such matters and take on burdens that are not only difficult to carry in war emergency but which greatly reduce our strength and ability to meet such emergency.

"We urge manufacturers and business men to continue advertising 'for the duration.' If we are to salvage anything from the war effort, either in rights or privileges, or in the maintenance of free enterprise, we must have the influence and continued support, without diminution or abatement, of our free press. Without its aid, we shall be helpless; and without our help it will be equally futile."

No Previous Experience

Studies of trends of farm prices in World War I are apt to shed little light on what is in store for the farmer in the present struggle, says Dr. J. M. Tinley, of the Giannini Foundation of Agricultural Economics at the University of California.

Dr. Tinley says that price patterns for individual farm products and even for groups of products will probably differ radically from those prevailing in the last war.

While the commentator's attention was directed at the problem from the viewpoint of agriculture, it would seem he might have broadened his comment to say that there is little in World War I which we can take as a guide for the present time.

This is another war and the world and the times are changed.

We have charted our course and are going ahead, but the person who can say today where we shall be six months hence, except that we shall all be there together, has something which God has not given to the rest of us.

We are going ahead confidently into an uncharted tomorrow—together.

During 1942 sixty per cent of paper board production—or about 4,000,000 tons—will be used in our National Defense effort. In addition to its use as a packaging material, much of this material is needed for insulation in tanks, planes and cantonment buildings.

Official U. S. Treasury War Bond Quotas For May



The above map of California shows the War Bond quotas, by counties, for the month of May, 1942. Total War Bond quota for the State is \$40,011,100. Every income earner in the State is expected to step up War Bond purchases on a basis of ten per cent or more of income. This is necessary to help America's armed forces take the offensive against the Axis powers. The American voluntary method of War Bond purchases must be successful in reaching the quotas set by the Treasury Department for every county in the nation. The job of every American now is to stop spending and save dollars to help win the War.

Contest For Schools Are Announced
Winning Essays In 7th American Legion

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BY BILLIE LOY JOHNSON

American way of life. But now, that we stand in peril of losing it, we remember. Now, we must fight with all we have and are to hold that heritage.

Today, in 1942, our Nation is at war. It is a war in defense of those ideals we long have cherished; a war in defense of our lives, our fortunes and our sacred honor.

Now, Americans are dying, so that America, our free America, can live.

Therefore, the men in our Army and Navy urgently need more planes, more tanks, and more guns. More than our enemies have, better than our enemies have, if we're going to smash our way to Victory.

How soon that Victory can come will be measured by the effort an aroused America can put forth. There is a job for every one of us in this emergency. We, too, can help, and show our Americanism, by making every dollar fight for America.

Buying Defense Bonds and Stamps will hasten our Victory, and give us a chance to secure our own financial future. Every dime and dollar we can lend our government is needed, and needed now. We must foot the bill by buying Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps—buying them now, buying them often and regularly for the duration. "It's bonds or bondage."

Recorder's Filings

April 29
Deed, H. J. Lindbergh to State of California.
Deed, C. C. Dumont to Camille Mack.

April 30th
Deed, Ada C. Hubbard to F. L. Burnett.
Deeds by Frank E. Ball and C. L. Scheiber to the State of California.
Deed, Mary E. Frey to Charles A. Hizer.

May 1
Deed, W. A. Miller to Earle Arnold.
Deed, J. M. Inman to L. E. Blakeley.
Decree of final distribution, Estate of Sadie Dixon.
Deed, Fred H. Miller to M. T. Kelly.
Patent, United States to David T. Lofburrow.
Deed, Walter F. Schaller to Marion Schaller Herick.

MILITIA NEEDS
ARE REPORTED

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which will be of a type prescribed later. Militia-men will train on their own time and without compensation.

The militia is intended as a home defense organization and Governor Olson has stated that the organization will be called to duty only in case of attack, and that each person enrolled will be called upon to serve only in his home county.

In case of enlistment or induction into the Army or Navy, any volunteer will immediately be released from obligations for duty in the Militia. The term of duty in the Militia is for the duration of the war and automatically expires as soon as the federal government proclaims that the state of war has ended.

They will be enrolled by the personnel of the Agricultural Extension Service, whose Director, Professor B. H. Crocheron, originated the plan. Following completion of the recruiting program, the Extension service will withdraw to devote its full attention to its long-term program of agricultural and home-making education. The Militia will be under the authority of the State Department of Military Affairs headed by Lieutenant Colonel E. H. Herlihy and the Adjutant General of California, J. O. Donovan.

UNIVERSITY COMMENCEMENT
AT BERKELEY ADVANCED
TO MAY THIRTEENTH

BERKELEY—The annual commencement on the Berkeley campus of the University of California has been advanced from May 23 and will be held on May 13th. Exercises will be held in the Greek Theater instead of at the Memorial Stadium in the interest of keeping attendance at a minimum.

It has been announced that since the date of the commencement follows so closely the completion of final examinations—four days—the decrees and certificates will be mailed to recipients after they return to their homes.

A Reno paper reports the Easter Sunday marriage there of Miss Lucille Stuart, of San Francisco, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Thacker, of Placerville, and Marvin R. Yarnell, of Lindsay, aviation instructor for the government at Sky Ranch airport, Reno.

CALAVERAS FROGS TO JUMP AS PART OF FAIR
PROGRAM TO BE HELD AT ANGELS CAMP
MAY 15TH, 16TH AND 17TH

ANGELS CAMP — California's most colorful celebration, the International Jumping Frog Jubilee will be staged for the fifteenth consecutive year May 15, 16 and 17. Held in conjunction with the Calaveras County Fair and Mining Exposition the affair is one of the few to be staged in the state this year.

As always, the leaping frogs, made famous 77 years ago by Mark Twain's immortal story, "The Celebrated Jumping Frogs of Calaveras County," will highlight more than 25 entertainment features now being arranged by the Booster's Club and Fair Directors. The frog entry list—more than 300 last year—is expected to be even greater with contestants coming from army camps all over California. Governors, mayors, screen and radio celebrities from most of the states in the union have also indicated they

will be here in person or will sponsor jumpers by proxy.

On the fair program will be one of the largest mining exhibits in the state, featuring a \$50,000 gold display which will be guarded by armed men throughout the exposition. More than \$2000 of the \$14,000 prize total will go to winners in the mining division alone. All of the awards will be in war bonds, unless a winner requests the cash instead.

Other highlights include a two day rodeo; a convention of more than 100 horsemen from all parts of the state and a rip-roaring 49er's celebration which will take the town back to the colorful days when Angels was a gawking mining town just starting on a gold mining program which has now passed the \$150,000,000 mark and still going strong.

THOMAS O'KEEFE PROMOTED
TO BE SERGEANT IN
ARMY AIR CORPS

Thomas J. O'Keefe, of Placerville, and now stationed at Hamilton Field, Northern California Army Air base, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant, the Army Air Corps reports.

Sergeant O'Keefe graduated from El Dorado County High School and then attended the University of San Francisco for a year and a half.

He enlisted in the Army at Oakland, California, on September 6,

Mrs. Lulu Ungewitter and children, Donner Lee and Sue, of Sebastopol, were here one day last week calling on the former's cousin, Mrs. Russell Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Olmstead were in town Friday from El Dorado.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Nelstrom and the latter's sister, Mrs. C. W. Stone, were callers Friday from Pleasant Valley.

Since then he has attended the Boeing School of Aeronautics, Chanhassen Field, Ill.

The new sergeant's present duty is that of propeller specialist.

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SCHOOLS WEEK BIG SUCCESS

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a concert by the school band led by Charles W. Ball and featured an address by Lloyd E. Wilson, Grand Secretary of Masons in California. Mr. Wilson was accompanied to Placerville by Leslie Wood, deputy grand master.

Mr. Wilson proved to be an especially able speaker and briefly told of the importance to the people and to the nation of the American system of public schools. Addressing a portion of his remarks to the younger persons present, Mr. Wilson brought to mind the opportunities which the public schools afford and the responsibilities with which the younger people are charged as they gain the benefits of education.

Following the program, many who had missed the opportunity to inspect the exhibits before the program, remained in the rooms and corridors for several minutes to complete their tours of the building.

The Friday evening program at the grammar school followed a program held last Wednesday when the seventh grade pupils of Miss Helen Hardy had presented a marionette opera and many of those who attended had at that time visited the various class rooms to inspect the work on display.

As a result, the Friday evening program centered in the musical numbers given under the direction of Miss Laura Ball, and during which the awards in the American Legion essay contest were announced and presented.

The concert opened with four selections by the beginners' band. This was followed by four selections by the fifth and sixth grade chorus and then the intermediate orchestra gave four numbers.

The fifth and sixth grade chorus returned to sing three numbers and the program closed with a group of seven selections by the advanced band.

During the interlude in the musical program, when those in charge were preparing for presentation of the essay awards, Principal John H. Palmer expressed an appreciation for the interest shown in Schools Week and in the program for the evening and noted that for the Friday evening program, every available seat in the school assembly hall was filled.



Tom Thumb RATIONS for PARATROOPS

GOOD THINGS IN SMALL PACKAGES—THAT IS WHAT OUR PARACHUTE TROOPS CARRY IN THE FORM OF CONCENTRATED MANUFACTURED FOODS, WHICH WILL SUSTAIN THEM WHEN AWAY FROM THEIR REGULAR KITCHENS

Light-weight "flying" food recently made available by industry to Uncle Sam's parachute troops now makes it possible for them to carry enough rations to keep alive and active for several days without taking any other nourishment.

The new food is so concentrated that a full meal weighs only about eleven ounces—and that includes the packaging! That's a little over two pounds a day, as compared with the seven-pound garrison allowance for each soldier. In spite of the decrease in weight, however, this modern manna from the skies contains almost as many calories as garrison chow.

Developed after a great deal of milk, soluble coffee, sugar, canned vitamins who acted as guinea pigs for science, these vest pocket meals include pemmican and graham biscuits, a modified form of malted country or make contact with his meats, and chewing gum—all prepared for quick use on a strictly serve-yourself basis.

The soldier carries these meals with him when he bails out. They are intended to give him enough food to last under normal conditions until he can forage off the country or make contact with his own forces once again.

The rations can also be dropped

from planes to relieve isolated garrisons and help them to hold out until reinforcements arrive. Or, if necessary, they can be used to help give ground troops greater freedom of movement, enabling them to operate for considerable time away from their mess kitchens.

In addition to making this new concentrated food available, industry at the present time is also experimenting with waterproof containers in which it can be packed. One new folding container of this type is designed to keep out moisture and vapor and in that way keep the rations fresh until they're needed.

Dillinger Store Enlarges To Meet Service Needs

Remodeling operations are currently under way at the Dillinger store following the recent sale by H. E. Dillinger of his funeral service.

The remodeling is in keeping with plans indicated by Mr. Dillinger at the time of the sale of the funeral business was announced, and when completed will make available to the furniture and home furnishings store the space formerly occupied by the mortuary and chapel.

The enlarged quarters will permit the business more capably to meet the home furnishing needs of the county.

HONOR ROLL

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NOTICE

P. T. A. Card Party. Diamond Springs School. Sat., May 16th, 8 o'clock. No refresh. Prizes. Admission 30c. My 4-4tc.

Superintendent and Mrs. O. H. Close were here Friday evening from the Preston School of Industry at Lone, visiting the former's sister, Mrs. John H. Palmer and family, and attending the grammar school's Public Schools Week concert.

Harry Tuthill was a caller Friday from Camino and reported Mrs. Tuthill as among those currently at grips with a severe cold.

Fred Wessels was among those in town from Shingle Springs on Saturday.



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SIGN-UP ENDS ON THURSDAY

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A family unit has been defined by the Office of Price Administration as "A group of two or more individuals consisting of all persons who are living together in the same household who are related by blood or marriage."

The LETTER BOX

KEEP 'EM FLYING

Thank you for your prompt sending of the paper as it is the best cure for "home" that one could secure.

For news: I ran into George Sayers here at the field. He is studying photography and will graduate soon. So this is really like old home week for both of us.

My regards to all.

PFC. B. J. EDELMAN,
Barksdale Field, Shreveport, La.
P. S. Tell Wallace Ripley that the people here have never even heard about Hangtown. (Joke). B. E.

Roy Arnold and Frank Goodin left Thursday last for San Francisco to report for Army training. They expected to be enlisted in the Ordnance Department and be sent to an east coast training station.

\$50 FINE PAID IN CASE OF MINE ASSOCIATES ON BADGER HILL

When the case of Anton Hoiss came before Justice of the Peace T. P. Lewis on Friday, the charge was, on motion of the district attorney, reduced from a felony charge to one of simple assault and Hoiss pleaded guilty and paid a fine of \$50.

District Attorney Henry S. Lyon said an investigation indicated Hoiss and one of his associates, Joe Steiner, had a disagreement but that there was insufficient evidence to warrant a charge of assault with a deadly weapon.

Attorney C. W. Pearson, who represented the defendant, explained to the court that Hoiss had picked up a butcher knife in the course of a dispute with Steiner during which they were shoving each other around.

The attorney said Hoiss picked up the knife to forestall anyone else gaining possession of it and made no attempt to use it. Then he realized he is an alien and threw the knife onto the table.

Hoiss, 41 years old, has been employed as a machinist at Benecia until recently and is understood to have been evacuated from that area, coming to this county.

He is reported to have been interested with Steiner and C. A. Holman in a mining undertaking in the Badger Hill district.

NEW BOOKS FOR CHILDREN RECENTLY RECEIVED BY LIBRARY

Mrs. Jessie Maynard, city-county librarian, reports the recent receipt of the following new books for children:

"Mary Poppins" and "Mary Poppins Comes Back," by P. L. Travers; "Angeliq," by Gertrude Crownfield; "Larry and the Undersea Raider," by Walter Farley; "Good Comrades," by Felix Salter; "Growing Up," by Karl De Schweinitz; "The True Story of Pals," by Margaret Suckley and Alice Dalgleish; "Pantaloons, Adventures of a Baby Elephant," by Osa Johnson, and "Don Coyote," by Leigh Peck.

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Training Course
Marine Welding (Electric)—Trainees accepted for this course will receive instruction in the use of 3-16 electric welding rod in the flat, vertical and the overhead positions. When these welding positions are mastered they will be eligible for employment at a starting wage of \$9.7 an hour.

Shipfitting—Shipfitting trainees will receive instructions in sheet metal layout and simple blue print reading. The use of brakes, folders, rollers, shears, punches and the various hand tools. The satisfactory completion of this course will qualify them for employment at a starting wage of \$8.7 an hour.

In addition instruction is given in Industrial Welding, Industrial Sheet Metal Machine Shop and Forge Shop. A shortage of skilled men exists in all of these fields and employment is to be had locally or in the S. F. Bay area defense plants.

Persona!

Henry Bacchi was representing Lotus in the county seat Friday. J. M. Imman has brought suit against Henry Lahiff seeking to quiet title to certain lands in the Silver Fork subdivision.

Clarence Scheiber was a caller from Shingle Springs on Friday. Archie McNe was a Saturday morning caller from Camino.

Joseph McKee, Jr. was home for the weekend from studies at Santa Clara University.

Marcus Starbuck and family were among callers from the Sweetwater section on Saturday.

Louis R. Armes, local agent for the Shell Oil Company, resumed his work Monday morning. Mr. Armes has experienced an enforced absence from duties during the past couple of weeks as a result of injuries suffered in an auto accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ellis rounded out their vacation with a trip to Los Angeles from which they returned Sunday. Mr. Ellis resuming his duties at the Bank of America on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lawyer were among callers from Lotus on Friday.

The Roy Sly was a visitor in the county seat Friday from Silver Fork Resort.

Miss N. Y. Vernon was in town from Coloma Friday.

George E. Faugstad was a business visitor at San Francisco on Monday.

Forest Supervisor Edwin F. Smith and J. M. Keusseff, administrative assistant, had official business at Sacramento Saturday and Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Keusseff accompanied them to the capital city for the day.

George Luneman was a caller from the Webber Creek section on Monday.

Archie Lawyer was in town from Lotus Monday.

The several members of the Board of Supervisors were all on deck Monday for the regular board meeting.

Friends have word from Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Crafton that they have found their visit to Mexico one of special interest and that they may remain there for a three-month period.

Frank Willard has brought suit in Superior Court against Frank A. Devine claiming \$3,500 as owing under the terms of a promissory note dated November 12, 1937. The prayer is for an award of judgment for the principal together with interest, plus \$525 counsel fees.

Earl Jones, arrested by city officers on charges of drunken driving, was found guilty in police court Saturday and sentenced to pay a fine of \$200 or serve 100 days in jail.

SHAKESPEARE CLUB TO NOMINATE, ELECT ON TUESDAY

The regular May business meeting of the Placerville Shakespeare club will be held Tuesday at the clubhouse.

It is reported that a special item of business will be the nomination and election of officers for the new year. Plans also may be suggested for the regular annual picnic meeting of the club which is customarily the occasion for the installation of officers for the new year.



BY JANE VOILES

The time and place are familiar to Mr. Lewis; his imagination supplies the girl. "I Remember Christine," Oscar Lewis' latest book, a novel this time, is as typical of San Francisco as the Seal Rocks and Telegraph Hill. Of course the events might have taken place in Detroit, Baltimore or Dallas and the story at its best would be comparable to an onyx or a turquoise but make San Francisco its setting and it becomes a bright jewel full of sparkle and color.

James Horton was a San Francisco pioneer who made good. When the story begins, Horton has been dead for some time and his biography just completed by Professor Casebolt's biography there is no ver optic success story. Horton began his business career as a small boy peddling pies and cakes to the miners in a Sierra mining town. His business acumen continues to sharpen until he finds himself in the wholesale machinery business in San Francisco at a time when mining equipment was in great demand. Horton, a true rugged individualist becomes a power in San Francisco's business world. But in Casebolt's biography there is no mention of Christine Winton.

Julie, Horton's daughter and a peppery old party (we'll probably be seeing Edna May Oliver taking her part in the movie version which is sure to be made from this book) resents the omission. She furnishes letters and material to Walter Doane who tells the story and who was himself not unacquainted with Christine as he reveals to the reader. Julie who has more than a spice of malice in her makeup is no worshiper of the heroic pioneer. Living in the Horton mansion on Russian Hill (and how Mr. Lewis distinguishes himself in the portrayal of that huge house and its day by day life) Julie is never happier than when she is shooting the picture of charming, romantic San Francisco of the past full of holes.

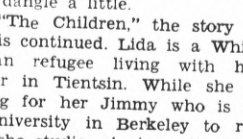
And Christine. She was a Red Bluff girl. While attending Mills College she eloped with a divinity student. Their marriage lasted no longer than six months. At college Julie Horton and Christine had been friends. Christine has been a working girl for six years when she meets Julie again. In time she becomes Mr. Horton's mistress. Incidentally, we might say that Mr. Horton's wife had left him and was living in New York.

You really have to see Christine in Mr. Lewis' setting—try to dissect her as a character study and she eludes you completely. She is no slinky, long-limbed modern girl, she is the strong, healthy Junoesque type. There is warmth in her glance and friendliness in her smile; her presence lends exhilaration to any party. As the story proceeds you see her faults and her likeable qualities. Yes, she is a man's woman, men will see qualities in Christine that some women are going to resent, but she is a product of her time, of the gay, champagne era.

Flavor, saltiness, tang, breeziness, all those descriptive adjectives we like to apply to San Francisco are in the novel along with some superb, unstudied writing that is the envy of any one who wants to write today. You won't be able to put the book down, no matter how you may feel about Christine.

How many readers remember that charming book "The Family" by Nina Federova that came out about two years ago? Miss Federova's new book "The Children" has been running serially in Atlantic Monthly and is just off the press in book form. Madame Federova, someone has said, has no sense of novel form, people come and go in her stories, move about here and there for no very great reason. That may be, but she never loses the thread of her narrative, even if she does let it dangle a little.

In "The Children," the story of Lida is continued. Lida is a White Russian refugee living with her mother in Tientsin. While she is waiting for her Jimmy who is at the university in Berkeley to return, she studies singing with Madame Mantilova and goes to Shanghai for concerts. In the end she marries her Jimmy. So much for plot, which is really the least im-



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PINO VISTA

PRUNE GROWERS TO NOMINATE PRO-RATE COMMITTEE MEMBERS

SACRAMENTO—Director of Agriculture W. J. Cecil today called meetings of prune growers for the week of May 11 in each of the seven different districts of Prune Production Zone No. 1 for the purpose of selecting growers eligible to serve as members and alternate members of the Program Committee of the Zone.

According to the Marketing Program for Prunes, as amended, of Prune Production Zone No. 1, the two-year term of office of members and alternates of the Committee expires as of May 31, 1942. Appointments will, therefore, cover a two-year term ending May 31, 1944.

From the persons elected at the nomination meetings the Director will appoint, subject to the approval of the Agricultural Prorate Advisory Commission, a member and his alternate for each district.

At each meeting a vote will be taken upon a list of nominations made from the floor and the votes cast will be counted at the meeting.

In accordance with the provisions of the Agricultural Prorate Act, a producer must attend the meeting in his district if he wishes to vote for the nominees of his choice. Voting by proxy can not be permitted and a mail ballot will not be used. If a grower has prune-producing properties in more than one district, it is suggested that he attend the meeting in the district in which his largest prune acreage is located.

The State Department of Agriculture is mailing a notice of the meetings to prune growers of record. Growers are urged to attend and participate in the meetings. The meeting for this district (composed of the following counties: Napa, Yolo, Solano, Sacramento, Amador, El Dorado, and Alpine), will be held in the Auditorium, Napa Union High School, Napa, on Tuesday, May 12, 1942, at 8:00 p. m.

The members and alternates of the present committee for this district are, member, Frank Wood, St. Helena, alternate, W. E. Lawson, Rutherford.

LIONS OPEN NOMINATIONS FOR NEW OFFICERS ON TUESDAY

According to notices sent members by Secretary Arthur Mart, special importance is attached to the meeting of Placerville Lions on Tuesday noon at Hotel Raffles since the report of the nominating committee is to be filed, and nominations of candidates for offices in the club for the new year will be opened.

In addition to names placed before the club in the committee report, nominations may be made from the floor during the two-week period intervening between opening of nominations and the regular election.

portant item in the story. What is important is the way people meet their destiny. Take Lida's mother who had been reared in the very lap of Russian aristocracy. She had to learn humility the hard way. After twenty years she finds that inner unity in her life which helps her to understand and this is Miss Federova's basis for philosophy, though we shouldn't call it by that grandiose name—"everything which happens is answering a need for its coming . . . there's a moral law as well as a physical one which works to bring the extremes to a level." The triumph of the human spirit over suffering is Miss Federova's theme, a heartening one in times like these. Miss Federova's affirmation of faith simply stated are like a cool, refreshing draft.

Sheriff And Mrs. Smith Visit Son In South

Sheriff and Mrs. George M. Smith were in the southern part of the state during the latter part of last week to spend a day or so with their son, George, who is in Navy service.

Their son's wife, who is living at Oakland, met them at Modesto and the three made the trip south from that point together.

The sheriff reports that George appears to be enjoying life in the Navy thoroughly and that one of the most interesting features of his service is that he occasionally meets another El Dorado County man in some far-away port on the Pacific.

Pet Pig Goes To School

GARNETT, Kas., (UP)—The pet pig of the children of Tony Hastert, a farmer, is a problem. Recently it followed the Hastert children to school, a distance of two and a half miles. The pet pig roamed around the school yard during the morning, shared the lunches of the school children at noon, and was on hand when school was out, ready to return home.

The sad story of a SOBoteur



There is a man who lives in the Land of Plenty—plenty of automobiles.

He hadn't a care in the world—not even one for his car.

"Why get the chassis all greasy?" he often said.

"No use to deliberately pour water down the radiator—it's only liable to rust the cooling system. "Why stuff air inside your tires when there is so much of it on the outside of them?"

"I have one hard and fast rule: Drive hard and fast, then trade in for a new model!"

But alas, the other day the Man's motor suddenly expired like a lease. He tinkered and tinkered till there wasn't a tink left.

He pattered and pattered but not a cylinder would putt. At last, in deep despair he sat down and sobbed and sobbed.

A passing Motorist stopped and, hearing the Man's sad story, said:

"Weep no more my laddie. You can't get a new car but you can conserve this one. Any Shell Service Station Dealer or Manager will take over the Upkeep of your vehicle."

Smiling through the tears the Man exclaimed: "I will go to the Shell Experts! Hereafter my car will get all the breaks—except all those caused by neglect."

"Neglect in these times," declared the Motorist, "is a form of sabotage. America needs every piece of transportation. Just adopt this hard and fast rule:

"Care for your Car for your Country!"

—BUD LANDIS

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